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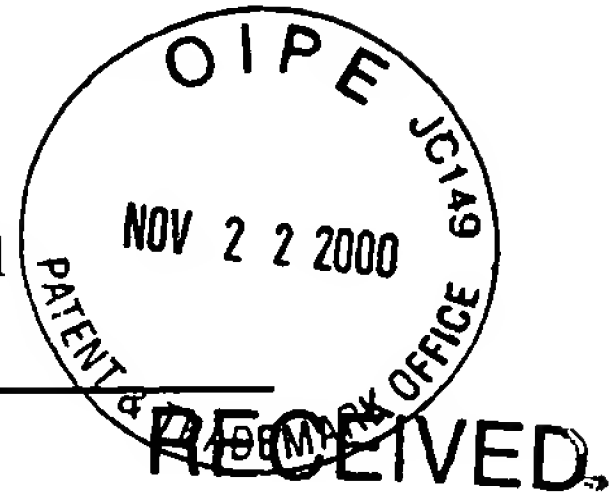
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Washington, D.C. 20231

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In compliance with the duty imposed by 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, and in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 *et. seq.*, the enclosed materials are brought to the attention of the Examiner for consideration in connection with the above-identified patent application. Applicant respectfully requests that this Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed on the attached Form 1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record.

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For the Examiner's convenience, Canada patent 2,174,189 is a patent family member of EP 0742168 and is enclosed in lieu of the European patent. Pursuant to the provisions of MPEP 609, Applicant further request that a copy of the 1449 form, initialed by the Examiner to indicate that all listed citations have been considered, be returned with the next official communication.

Under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b)(3), it is believed that no fee or certificate is required with this Information Disclosure Statement. However, if an Office Action on the merits has been mailed, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Account No. 19-0743.

The Examiner is invited to contact the Applicant's Representatives at the below-listed telephone number if there are any questions regarding this communication.

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Applicant would like to bring to the Examiner's attention the following related co-pending application(s) in the above-identified patent application:

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